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SUBJECT: DIFFICULTIES FACING BRITISH FIRM WITH CONTRACT
TO OFFLOAD CEMENT OUTSIDE DAMMAM PORT

REF: DHAHRAN 1025

1. POST IS UNABLE DEVELOP REQUESTED INFO ON OWNERSHIP OFFSHORE CONSTRUCTORS (BERMUDA) LTD. (NOT CONTRACTORS AS SHOWN REFTEL). COMPANY IS NOT REGISTERED IN U.K. AND THE FIRM'S AGENT, SEA AND LAND PIPELINES LTD., GREAT YARMOUTH, U.K. WAS UNABLE TO SUPPLY NEEDED INFO.
 2. SEA AND LAND CALLED BERNIE DOUGHERTY (REFTEL) WHO IS IN U.K. AT PRESENT WHO CONTACTED EMBASSY BUT WAS UNABLE TO GIVE REQUESTED INFO.
 3. FINANCIAL BACKGROUND DATED 1973 STATES OFFSHORE DIRECTORS WERE A.D. SPURLING, W.R. KEMPE, IAN HILTON, AND J.D. CAMPBELL (NATIONALITY NOT INDICATED). BANK WAS N.T. BUTTERFIELD & SONS LTD. OF HAMILTON, BERMUDA.
 4. FYI IN CONVERSATION WITH DOUGHERTY, HE MENTIONED CONTRACT WAS GOING SOUR AND OFFSHORE WOULD PROBABLY PULL OUT BECAUSE HOST GOVERNMENT HAD PUT TOO MANY RESTRICT-
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